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#### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$540.
  - \$540 for 30 total claims over 20.
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In re the patent application of Herbert

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### TRANSMITTAL OF MISSING PARTS

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Sir:

Attached hereto is a Notice to File Missing Parts; an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney; an Assignment; a Priority Document; and a check in the amount of \$1450.00 to cover the fees due under 37 CFR 1.16(a); 1.16(c); 1.16(e); and the assignment recordation fee.

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